An accessory item for a shoe comprising:
an anchor configured to removably attach to a wearer;

a decorative article affixed to the anchor, the decorative article configured to mount to the anchor to enable the decorative article to appear integrated with a first portion of a shoe worn by the wearer.

- 2. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the anchor comprises a first loop composed of a material exhibiting elastic properties.
- 10 3. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the wearer comprises a foot and the anchor attaches to a first portion of the foot.
  - 4. The accessory item of claim 3 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a toe box and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the toe box.

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- 5. The accessory item of claim 3 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a first side portion and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the first side portion.
- 20 6. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the wearer comprises an ankle and the anchor attaches to the ankle.

- 7. The accessory item of claim 6 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a strap wrapping around the ankle and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the strap.
- 5 8. The accessory item of claim 6 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a first side portion and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the first side portion.
  - 9. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the decorative article comprises a flower.
- 10. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the decorative article comprises a ribbon.

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- 11. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the decorative article comprises a first button.
- 12. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the decorative article comprises a first feather.
- 13. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the decorative article comprises a first20 fabric trimming.
  - 14. The accessory item of claim 1 wherein the anchor comprises a first and second loop.

- 15. An accessory item for a shoe comprising:
- an anchor comprising a loop exhibiting elastic properties, the anchor configured to removably attach to a wearer;

a decorative article permanently affixed to the anchor, the decorative article configured to appear integrated with a first portion of a shoe worn by the wearer.

- 10 16. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the wearer comprises a foot and the anchor attaches to a first portion of the foot.
  - 17. The accessory item of claim 16 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a toe box and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the toe box.

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- 18. The accessory item of claim 16 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a first side portion and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the first side portion.
- 20 19. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the wearer comprises an ankle and the anchor attaches to the ankle.

- 20. The accessory item of claim 18 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a strap wrapping around the ankle and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the strap.
- 5 21. The accessory item of claim 18 wherein the first portion of the shoe comprises a first side portion and the decorative article appears to be integrated with the first side portion.
  - 22. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the decorative article comprises a flower.

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- 23. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the decorative article comprises a ribbon.
- 24. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the decorative article comprises a first accessory trimming.

25. The accessory item of claim 15 wherein the anchor further comprises a second loop.